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ANNUAL MEETING

WEDNESDAY, 1ST FEBRUARY, 1961, at 5.30 p.m. (Tea 5 p.m.)

AGENDA

1. Confirmation of the Proceedings of the Annual Meeting held on 3rd February, 1960.
2. Announcement of election of Officers and Council for 1961.
3. Admission of Fellows.
4. Council's Report.
5. Treasurer's Report and Balance Sheet.
6. The President's Remarks.
7. **The President's Address.**
8. Vote of thanks to the Officers.

NOTICES

The next meeting will be held on *Wednesday, 1st March, 1961*:

- (1) **Mr. W. W. Macdonald.**—Observations on the ecology of mosquitoes in the tropical rain forest of Malaya.
- (2) **Dr. P. T. Haskell.**—Stridulation and associated behaviour in certain beetles.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE ANNUAL MEETING HELD ON 3RD FEBRUARY, 1960

Dr. B. P. UVAROV, C.M.G., F.R.S., President, in the Chair

Present, 56 Fellows and 8 Visitors.

The minutes of the Annual Meeting held on 4th February, 1959, were confirmed and signed by the President.

The Secretary read the names of the Officers and Council for 1960 and the President declared them duly elected in accordance with the Bye-Laws.

Mr. R. J. Brunning and Mr. G. V. P. Sewell signed the Obligation Book and were admitted Fellows of the Society.

The Secretary read the Report of the Council for 1959, which was adopted on the proposal of Mr. R. B. Benson, seconded by Captain H. S. Bushell.

The Treasurer read his Annual Report and this, with the Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1959, was adopted on the motion of Mr. A. Welti, seconded by Professor G. C. Varley.

[P.T.O.]

The President then made his concluding Remarks.

A vote of thanks to the President and other Officers for their services throughout the year was proposed by Mr. N. D. Riley and carried unanimously.

The formal meeting then closed and was followed by two short films showing the feeding of blood-sucking insects. In conclusion a film was shown of life in Sweden at the time of Linnaeus, based on what is known of his life.

PAUL FREEMAN, *Honorary Secretary.*

ADDITIONS TO THE LIBRARY

Presented

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- Travassos Santos Dias, J. A. *Nova contribuição ao estudos dos tabanídeos (Diptera: Tabanidae) de Angola*. [Publ. cult. Cia. Diamant. Angola, 53: 1-126, 1960.] [The Publishers.]
- von Frisch, K. *Ten little housemates*. 8vo. London: Pergamon Press, 1960. [The Publishers.]

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- Carpenter, M. M. *Bibliography of biographies of entomologists*. (Supplement) [Amer. Midl. Nat. 50: 257-348, 1953.]
- Stichel, W. *Illustrierte Bestimmungstabellen der Wanzen. II. Europa (Hemiptera Heteroptera Europae)*. Vol. 4, Hft. 17. 8vo. Berlin-Hermsdorf, 1960.
- Wytzman, P. ed. *Genera Insectorum*. Fasc. 214. *Lepidoptera Fam. Thyretidae*, par S. G. Kiriakoff. 4to. Anvers, 1960.

In addition separates have been presented by Professor C. M. Biezanko; Dr. E. T. Nielsen; Federal Ministry of Agriculture, Rhodesia and Nyasaland; United States Department of Agriculture; Mr. V. G. L. van Someren; Mr. R. S. George; Dr. B. K. Tandan; Dr. T. C. Clay; Mr. G. A. H. McClelland; Dr. D. J. Lewis; Professor K. Tsuneki; Zoological Institute of the Academy of Sciences, U.S.S.R.; and Mr. W. H. Potts.